

## BUILDING A RAILROAD ALL BY HIMSELF!

THE JIM HILL OF KANSAS IS DOING ALL HIS OWN WORK ON A RAILROAD THAT RUNS FROM NOWHERE TO NO PLACE.

## Special Correspondence.

DODGE CITY, Kan., Sept. 8.—Out on the prairie to the northwest is being built the strangest railroad in America. One man is building it all by himself and it runs from nowhere to nowhere.

Rudolph Meyer is the promoter, president, purchasing agent, civil engineer, superintendent, construction boss, crew, mule skinner and water boy.

There are no trains running yet. There isn't even any track laid. But there are five miles of perfectly good grade ready for the ties and rails, and there will be more of it as long as Meyer's money, mules and strength last. What the purpose is, nobody knows but Meyer, and he won't tell.

In the spring of 1908, this old German appeared in the Spring Creek valley, north of the Hodgman county line, and asked a farmer to sell him a strip of land for a railroad right of way. He declared that he was the sole builder of the line and was not backed by any railroad company.

The wondering farmer sold him the land and he started to work with a team of mules, a wagon and one scraper. In a year or so he finished the grade on the strip he had bought and purchased more land from the neighboring farm to continue his line.

Year after year he has toiled on, pushing ahead with his leveling, cutting and filling, absolutely alone, with his single mule team and scraper, and whenever he has reached the end of his right of way he has demanded the next strip of land and paid the farmer a time. Just ahead of him is another deep impression to fill up, and beyond that lies a high hill that has to be cut through.

"That's all right," says Meyer. "It's level further on."

When asked why he chose this location for a railroad, he answers, "Oh, I just picked out an easy place to build one."

The roadbed runs in a northerly direction, and if it were being built in the usual way, by railroad men, the purpose would seem to be the connection of Dodge City, several miles to the southwest, with Jetmore, a village to the northeast. The Santa Fe has a branch to Jetmore, running west from Great Bend, and the section would make a loop that the main line. But Meyer declares he has nothing at all to do with the Santa Fe, and his peculiar methods seem to bear him out.

He lives alone in a little cook shack, which he moves along as the work advances. When the weather is fine he works all day, and when the ground is frozen or water soaked he loafs in his shack.

Meyer is trying now to buy some more right of way, and the owners are holding him up, hoping to force him to tell his real plans. But Meyer just plugs along patiently, without saying a word and apparently without worrying.

"They can't stop this railroad," he says.

## ADDITIONAL MISHAWAKA

**RETURN FROM CANADA.**  
Charles and Alfred Lyles, E. Eighth st., have returned from Berlin, Ontario, Canada, where they concluded a visit with relatives.

**MOVE TO NEW HOME.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Herbert C. Ellis, have moved from 841 E. Fourth st., to 123 Indiana av.

**ATTENDING RE-UNION.**  
Mrs. Clayton Crickler and daughter have gone to Peru, Ind., where they are attending a family re-union.

**ENJOYING VACATION.**  
E. H. Page has been on a week's vacation from the Schiffer Pharmacy and will leave Monday evening for Boston, Mass., Montreal and points in Canada.

**ENTERTAIN AT DINNER.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Bath, N. Hill st., entertained at dinner Sunday for Mrs. Dugan, Ralph and Joseph Dugan and the Misses Kittle and Esther Dugan of South Bend.

**MISHAWAKA PERSONALS.**  
East Mishawaka, Monday evening at 7.30 with Mrs. A. Gerhart. East Mishawaka, young people's class Wednesday evening at 8.00 o'clock with Miss Gertrude Smith, 1639 E. Third st.

Section 2—Women's Bible class with Mrs. Eugene Munsee, 325 Indiana av.  
Section 4—Tuesday at 7.30 with Mrs. R. Snelter, 634 E. Third st.

Section 5—Tuesday at 2.30 at the Presbyterian church. Evening class at 7.30 at the Presbyterian church.  
Section 6—Friday at 3.00 o'clock with Mrs. J. J. Nickard, 312 E. Seventh st.

Section 8—Tuesday evening at 7.30 with Mrs. J. H. Reeder, 615 W. Front st.  
Section 9—Tuesday 7.30 with Mrs. Myles Smith, S. West st.

Section 10—Wednesday 7.30 with Mrs. Ira Hanaway.  
Section 11—Tuesday evening at 7.30 with Mrs. Kerr 203 E. Grove st.  
Section 14—Tuesday evening at 7.30 with Mrs. Walter Fields, Grove st.

Section 15—Monday 7.30 with Mrs. Daub, Broadway.  
Business women, Monday evening at 7.30 at Christian church. Home girls, Tuesday at 4.00 o'clock with Mrs. R. H. Jernigan, 151 S. Race st.

Willows Creek, Thursday at 8.00 o'clock at the church.  
Twin branch—Thursday afternoon at 2.00 o'clock with Mrs. George Lansing. Misses J. J. and J. J. for leaders and all interested in Bible study, at the Presbyterian church.

Men's Bible class of the west side Tuesday at 7.30 at the home of Mrs. Arthur Ham, E. Grove st.  
Chairman of classes please send reminder cards to Mrs. Butterworth morning an order that announcements may be ready for the Monday papers.

**LEAVES FOR COLLEGE.**  
Walter Ricketts, of the Mishawaka Trust and Savings Company, and one of Mishawaka's best known young men, left Monday for Angola, Ind., where he will enter the Tri-State college in that city. He will take up the study of chemistry. He is well known in this city and has a large circle of friends here. Mr. Ricketts is a graduate of the Elkhart high school.

**TO LEAVE TUESDAY.**  
Walter Coffey will leave Tuesday for Little Rock, Ark., where he will enter St. Mary's academy.

**CONCLUDE VISIT.**  
The Misses Bertilla and Margaret Lyles, E. Eighth st., have returned from Grand Rapids, Mich., where they



RUDOLPH MEYER, RAILROAD BUILDER, AND HIS CONSTRUCTION CAMP AND EQUIPMENT.

spent the past week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Nolan.

**DEATH OF SISTER.**  
Miss Anna Duncan is in Elkhart, where she was called by the death of her sister, Mrs. Horace Moulton, which occurred in that city Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Moulton often visited in this city. She is survived by two sons and a daughter and her husband. Funeral services will be held Tuesday afternoon.

**RETURN TO HOME.**  
Mrs. Ella Sears has returned to her home in Kewana, Ind., after concluding a five weeks' visit with her daughters, Mrs. William Poole and Miss Mabel Sears.

**ENTERTAIN AT FAMILY DINNER.**  
Mr. and Mrs. William Saltgiver, 311 E. Third st., pleasantly entertained at a family dinner Sunday at 12 o'clock. Covers were laid for 21. The out-of-town guests were: John Saltgiver, Grand Rapids, Mich.; Mrs. Tom Neely, Carlton, O.; Mrs. Thompson, Illinois; Miss Hazel Hurtz, Elkhart, and Jacob Kirby, South Bend.

**LEAVES FOR MICHIGAN CITY.**  
Mrs. Julia Theves and daughter, Elma, Oshkosh, Wis., have been guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wachs, N. Main st., for the past several days, have gone to Michigan City, Ind., where they will visit relatives.

**VISITING PARENTS.**  
John Saltgiver, Grand Rapids, Mich., is in the city visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Saltgiver, E. Third st., and other relatives.

**RETURN FROM CANADIAN TRIP.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Emerick have returned from a visit in Berlin, Ontario, Canada.

**ENTERTAIN FOR PASTOR.**  
Members of the Ladies' Aid society of the Christian church will entertain Wednesday evening at the church at a reception for Rev. and Mrs. O. E. Tomes. All members and friends of the congregation are invited to attend.

**PROGRESSIVE MEETING.**  
The progressive voters of the city of Mishawaka are requested to meet in mass convention in the city court room in the city court room in the city hall in Mishawaka, on Tuesday evening Sept. 9, 1913, at 8 o'clock for the purpose of the election of a city Central Committee and organization for the city campaign.

**MILLER GUY.**  
County Central Committee.

**MILIA ANN BURKETT.**  
Milie Ann Burkett died Saturday afternoon at four o'clock at the county infirmary of peritonitis. She was 37 years old and was born in Bourne, Mass. Her father was the late W. W. Burkett, who died sometime ago at the infirmary.

**ON WIFE'S GRAVE.**  
LIMA, Sept. 8.—Grieving over the loss of his wife, who died in 1906, James O. McBeth, 48, a real estate operator, whose fortune is estimated at \$300,000, committed suicide on the grave of his wife.

**AT SURPRISE THEATRE TODAY.**  
"Mating"—Imp.  
A strong story by Wallace, following the lines of "The Story of Adam," and other narratives dating back to prehistoric days. We see the cave man who's dusky maid by sheer force of brute strength, wrestling her from the little man because he happened to be stronger.

The same characters, cleverly portrayed by Matt Moore, Jane Gail and John C. Brownell, appear in a later reincarnation. Here the strong man wields the pick and the little man is a professor. This time, by force of his mentality, the little man wins the girl. The picture excites interest and draws up thought. It is a commendable two-reel offering.

**GETTING SET.**  
The negotiations which have been in progress for some time for the purpose of establishing the Conton boundaries between Serbia and Montenegro have been discontinued without result and the delegates of the two countries have returned to their homes.

**BLOOMINGTON, Ind., Sept. 8.**  
Word has been received here from Arthur Henn of Indiana university that he is safe at Quito, Ecuador, and will start home soon. With Charles Servia the championship runner between several months ago to collect specimens for Dr. J. H. Eigenmann. The two became separated and Henn penetrated so far along the headwaters of Columbia rivers he has been unable to send word for months.

**HARTFORD WINS PENNANT.**  
NEW HAVEN, Conn., Sept. 8.—Sunday marked the end of the season for the Eastern Baseball association. The championship going to Hartford, which made a fine up-hill fight for the pennant after a poor start. New Haven, last year's champions, secured a comfortable lead early in the season, but slumped during the last month, finishing second.

Horde of Bargain Hunters  
Block Traffic on Michigan Street Monday Morning

A horde of bargain-seeking women filled Michigan street before the Ellsworth store to the street car tracks Monday morning awaiting the opening of the store at 9 o'clock, when the anniversary sale began.

When the doors were opened the women poured in and filled the aisles. They congregated about the silk and dress-goods counters and several near-fights were precipitated when the shoppers snatched bundles from each other's hands.

The elevator could not carry them to the second floor rapidly enough and a stream of them raced up the stairway, the more aggressive elbowing their way to the front.

A few babies were in the throng and slept peacefully on their mothers' shoulders during the rush. One or two men were among the bargain hunters.

The September social of the Dorcas society of the St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal Memorial church, corner Colfax and LaPorte av., will be entertained by Mrs. Clem Studebaker, Col. and Mrs. George M. Studebaker, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Carlisle and Mr. and Mrs. Clement Studebaker, Jr., Tuesday, September 9th. Supper will be served from 5:30 until all are served.

**THE ROBERTSON FALL SALE.**  
Is not a sale of "bats." It includes the majority of all new fall stocks at great reductions. See tonight's mig ad.

**GET LICENSES AT ST. JOSEPH.**  
Marriage licenses have been issued in St. Joseph to Ross Cleghorn of this city and Bernice Hosie, 18, Mishawaka; Harry Engle, 35, and Ethel Libby, 20, both of South Bend; and William J. DeClarke, 23, and Bertha Gorman, 25, of Mishawaka.

**IT EXCEEDED EXPECTATIONS.**  
The opening of the Robertson Fall Sale this morning was made with a grand rush. It will be a grand rush throughout the week, too. See tonight's mig ad.

**ASLEEP 35 DAYS.**  
SAN JOSE, Cal., Sept. 8.—Wright Keel, a visitor here from Tennessee, has been asleep for 35 days at the home of his uncle, R. P. Keeble, and many doctors have tried to awaken him. Keeble was missing Aug. 1, after a search he was found sleeping with boards for covers between bales of hay on his uncle's ranch.

His parents are on their way here from Tennessee.  
**Robertson's Fall Sale, and Why.**  
A great bargain festivity is being held by the Robertson store for three reasons: To influence fall business in advance of the general demand; to celebrate the completion of the Greater Robertson Store; to extend to the thousands of patrons whose liberal patronage has made it possible for such a vast institution in so short a period—nine years—a real treat of appreciation.

**HELD FOR KICKING WOMAN.**  
Arthur Peterson has been arrested charged with kicking Mrs. Joseph Ogil while she was in a serious condition. Peterson is out on \$200 bond until Sept. 24, when the case will come up.

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**Notice of Application for Permission to Purchase Real Estate License.**  
Notice is hereby given to the citizens of the fifth ward, of the city of South Bend, Portage township, St. Joseph county, Indiana, that we, the undersigned, Fred H. Books and William Lucas will apply to the board of county commissioners of said county, at their October term, 1913, for permission to purchase the retail liquor dealer's license heretofore granted by said board of county commissioners at their December term, 1912, to one Albert C. Pommet, said license being for the term of one (1) year, from said date, for the sale of intoxicating liquors, and the privilege of same being allowed to be drunk on the premises, together with the privilege of the sale of cigars, tobacco and non-intoxicating liquors, and the serving of lunch to customers. Our place of business and the premises where such liquors are to be sold and drunk, are described as being located at No. 214 South Main street, and the room is described as being 37 feet long, east and west, and 23 feet wide, north and south, less a space 4 by 12 feet, occupied by a stairway and fronting west on Main street, also with entrances from the front and rear.

September 8, 1913.  
FRED H. BOOKS,  
WILLIAM LUCAS.

**WILL ENTERTAIN CLUB.**  
Mrs. B. Conner, 1024 Quimby st., will be hostess to the Never Late club Tuesday afternoon.

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LOVE FOR MOTHER  
BREAKS DOWN SON

Jefferson Tallerdoy Succumbs to Ceaseless Care and Vigil Over Sick Parent—Taken to Poor Farm.

ELKHART Ind., Sept. 8.—A pathetic tale was unfolded when Jefferson Tallerdoy, a paralytic and consumptive, was removed to the county poor farm Sunday morning to spend the remainder of his days. Once a strong, robust man, enjoying his measure of prosperity, Tallerdoy and his mother kept up a comfortable home. Suddenly Mrs. Tallerdoy suffered a stroke of paralysis. She lingered for several months under the care of physicians and nurses. A devoted mother expressed a wish that her son remain at her bedside, as much as possible which was readily granted by the faithful son. Day in and day out Tallerdoy would hurry home from his work, often staying at his mother's bedside for the entire night without any sleep. The strain was too great and shortly after Mrs. Tallerdoy's death, the son was stricken. The mother's long illness had melted the Tallerdoy savings and the son was forced to seek charity for aid. Humane Officer Abraham Pierce was called into the case last week and Sunday saw the beginning of the closing chapter.

WANT NO MORE  
FUSS OVER THAW

Immigration Officers May Hold Him Until Last Moment—Prisoner Has Two Hero Worshipers.

COATICOOK, Sept. 8.—No word had come to Coaticook Sunday night from the department of the interior at Ottawa as to when Harry K. Thaw will be taken to Montreal for his hearing there Sept. 15 before the King's bench on the writ of habeas corpus obtained by his counsel. The quarters here are comfortable and the immigration agents in charge said again Sunday that Thaw might be held until the last moment.

"The department does not desire to stir up any more excitement about the Thaw case than is absolutely necessary," said T. B. Williams, one of the immigration officers. "There has been enough already and Thaw is removed it will be as quietly as possible. We do not want any fuss."

Thaw's Sunday was perhaps the most eventful day since his arrival in Canada. He had only two callers, his stenographer and his local counsel W. L. Skutleiff. Most of the day the prisoner spent reading about himself in the newspapers. The officers volunteered to take him for a walk if he felt in need of exercise but Thaw declined.

**Hero Worshipers.**  
Two hero-worshipping girls stood beneath the barred windows of his room for half an hour Sunday afternoon holding aloft bouquets and begging him to show his face. "We want to say we've seen you once, Harry," they cried. "Just come to the window for a second."

A guard turned and spoke to Thaw, but the fugitive refused to show himself. According to advices received here Sunday night from Montreal, Wm. Travers Jerome intends temporarily to drop the Thaw case and return to New York Tuesday. He is due to appear in police court here on Thursday to answer to the charge of gambling on which he was arrested last Monday. He goes to New York with his counsel will endeavor to postpone the case until Sept. 16.

**TO TRY JEROME.**  
COATICOOK, Sept. 8.—Unless a hitch occurs, Wm. Travers Jerome, especially retained by New York state to secure the return of Harry K. Thaw to Matewan, will appear before District Magistrate M. J. McKeen Monday morning to answer to a charge of gambling. His case has been set for hearing on Thursday, Sept. 11, but both sides agreed Sunday night to advance it, and Jerome announced over long distance telephone from Montreal that he would be here without fail. He was on the point of leaving for New York under the impression that the case would not be called tomorrow.

Magistrate Mulvena of Sherbrooke agreed to hear the case, displacing Justice of the Peace James McKee.

ARRANGE BOUT FOR  
WORLD'S CHAMPIONSHIP

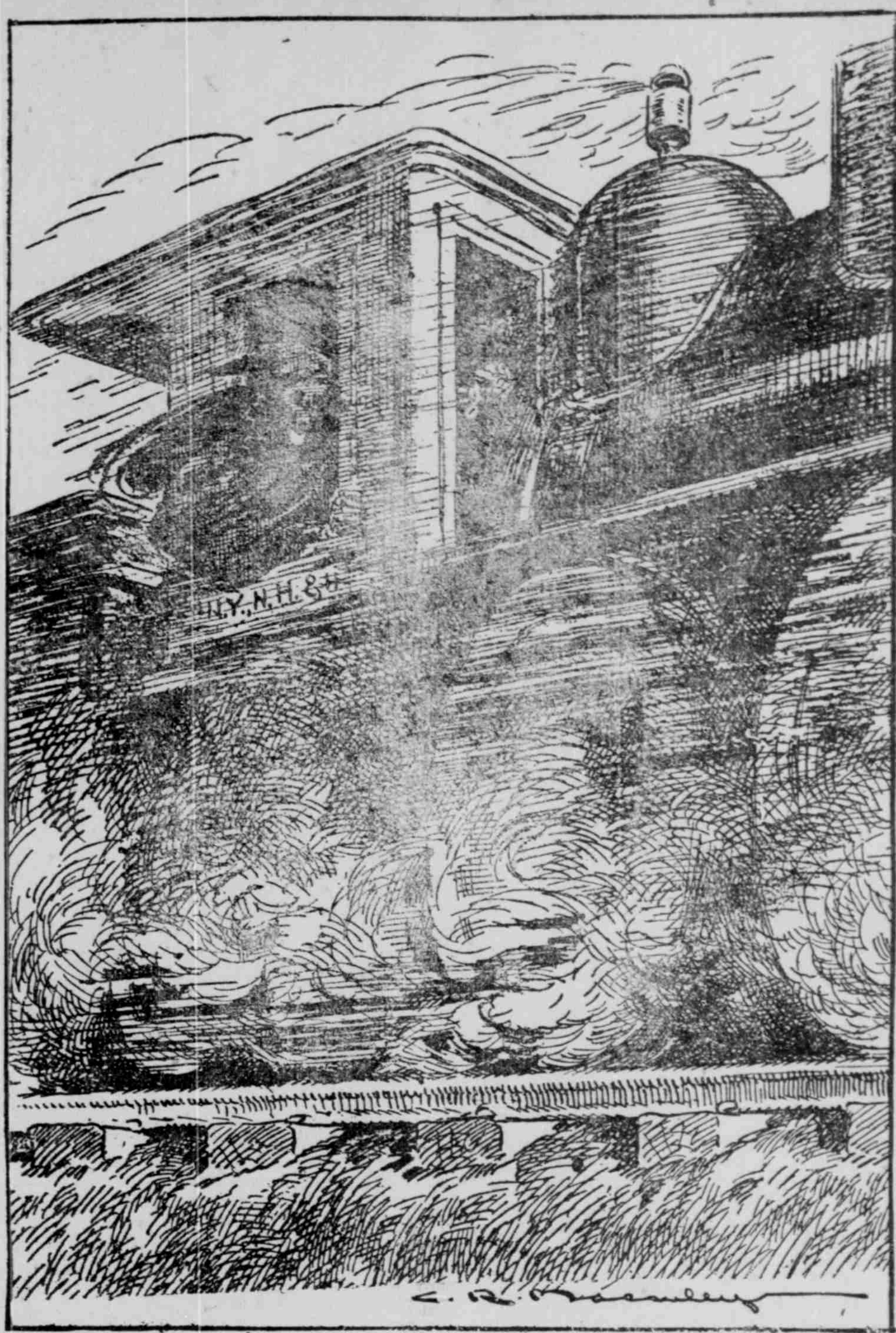
NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—Announcement was made Sunday night that a fight for the world's heavyweight championship between Jack Johnson and Frank Moran of Pittsburgh, who last week defeated Al Palzar in this city, was arranged Sunday. It will take place in the Velodrome d'Hiver, Paris, France, in December. Negotiations between Johnson's manager, Leon See, and Dan McKitterick, who has Moran's interests in hand, have been going on for some time, and Sunday McKitterick received a cablegram from See, stating that his terms had been accepted. McKitterick had asked for a guarantee of \$5,000, the privilege of 30 per cent of the gate receipts and expenses incurred in going to Paris and training Moran. The exact date of the bout has not yet been arranged.

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## STILL AT THE THROTTLE.

FINDS INDIANA  
ADVANCING IN  
APPLE CULTURE

H. E. VanDeman, one of the most noted pomologists in the country and well known to Indiana apple growers, pays particular tribute in the current issue of the Country Gentleman, to the advance in new scientific apple culture in Indiana.

His reference to the progress made in Indiana by those who are really going into the apple "business" in the same earnest way that has given the California orange and the Puget Sound apple reputation, standing and high priced market, is in an article on the general subject of "Eastern Apple Shows." He dwells likewise on the fact that the west has gone far ahead of the east in commercializing the apple and getting money for it. The flavor and fragrance of the Puget Sound apple may be inferior but it is good in color, it is clean and healthy, and it is sent to market in good clothes. And it sells over the "eastern" apple which, although superior in many respects, is not well sorted and is not dressed for market and makes its debut in barrels, instead of bushel boxes with each apple wrapped in tissue paper as oranges are marketed, or otherwise well graded and packed.

**No Western Apples Shown.**  
"During the past fall several people shows were held in the eastern states, two of which it was my duty and privilege to examine critically," says Mr. VanDeman. "There was not a western apple in either of them. I have no years of experience to back up the fact that the west has gone far ahead of the east in commercializing the apple and getting money for it. The flavor and fragrance of the Puget Sound apple may be inferior but it is good in color, it is clean and healthy, and it is sent to market in good clothes. And it sells over the 'eastern' apple which, although superior in many respects, is not well sorted and is not dressed for market and makes its debut in barrels, instead of bushel boxes with each apple wrapped in tissue paper as oranges are marketed, or otherwise well graded and packed."

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**POLICE ON TRAIL OF THE BUTCHER WHO SLEW GIRL.**  
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tractively presented, instead of dumped into barrels.  
California and Florida orange and citrus fruit growers led the way and the Oregon and Tasmanian apple growers have educated the market up to the same clean production, good even honest grading and marketing. That is where they have been beating the lead, and why their apples "rarely" sell for less than \$3 a box (bushel), while in the same markets good apples of eastern growth are sold at from \$2.50 to \$4.50 a barrel."

PRESIDENT HAS POLITE  
MANNER OF CRACKING WHIP

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE.) keepers shall not bring any women's cards to him. He is doing the suffrage question.

Rep. J. W. Bryan of Washington will soon deliver an important speech in the house dealing with the Polidexter-Bryan bill for the immediate development of Alaska.

Carl Brown, who in 1894 was one of the "generals" in Coxey's army, is camping on Billy Kent's lawn and working on an improved ylling machine. Kent is a financial angel for one ready hand started at work designing making machines stable in the air, thus making flying perfectly safe. Kent says when this happens he will jaunt back to California in a flying machine.

On the authority of the government bats do not seek to tangle themselves in women's hair. That is a libel on the bat. The department of agriculture has the bad reputation of bats is probably due in large part to a mistaken association of our kindly local bats with the so-called "vampire bat" who sucks blood from his victims. Our bats are valuable to the community. They eat mosquitoes and many other breeds of insects, some of which are injurious to crops and orchards. To keep bats out of the house, the department suggests a simple remedy: To find the hole at which the bat comes in and stop it up while the bat is outside.

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the different joints of the body, as is a butcher.  
Both sections of the torso were wrapped in coverings bound with a grade of wire commonly used by milliners. Around the first section of the torso in addition to the newspaper was wrapped a pillow case of red and white striped material. It bore a tag showing that the pillow was comparatively new and that it was of the "Restwell" brand, a casing made by a Chicago concern and which enjoys a large sale in this section. The authorities today are said to be in receipt of a letter concerning the disappearance of Ella Sternemann, of Brooklyn. It mentions the name of an east side physician.

BELMONT SEES BRIGHT  
FUTURE ON N. Y. TURF

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—"The racing season in New York state next year promises to be a wonderful success," declared August Belmont today, through whose efforts racing was revived in the state after being dead for 5 years. The past season was a ready success and it proved what I always have contended—the people want racing and they are willing to support it without a betting ring. Another thing, there are many thousands of people who are even eager to support expensive stables without thought of whether the horses will pay their way or be a burden. These men love the sport for sport's sake."

LIPTON DEFENDER WILL  
BE FINEST YACHT AFLOAT

BRISTOL, R. I., Sept. 8.—The New York Yacht club's entry in the elimination races to find a ship to meet the Lipton challenger will be a 75 foot steel boat, not a 70 footer, as at first planned. Nat Herreshoff, who already has started at work designing the boat, has authoritatively announced that the defender will measure 75 feet along the water line, which will give the boat a length considerably over 100 feet along the deck. The designer stated that he was told not to consider expense in planning the new boat, but to build the finest yacht that ever sailed the seas.

## HELD FOR MURDER.

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—Salvador Dangi, 21 years old, was arrested at the home of his father, Antonio Dangi, in Brooklyn, and held for extradition to Akron, O., where he is charged with the murder of Antonio Lombardo on Oct. 5, 1911. Lombardo was found dead in a shack where he boarded with Dangi.

TRAFFIC AT STANDSTILL  
IN DUBLIN STRIKE

DUBLIN, Sept. 8.—The strike conditions throughout Ireland are much worse this morning. Reports from many sections indicate that trouble must be expected before the matter is settled. The railroads have refused to take any goods for transportation and traffic is practically at a stand still.

**RIDERS FATALITY HURT.**  
COLOGNE, Germany, Sept. 8.—Gus Lawson, an American cyclist and Scheurmann, a German rider, were killed today and Melvold, another rider, fatally hurt when a tire on Lawson's motorcycle burst throwing the racers to the bottom of the track.

**RELIEF.** Sept. 8.—A serious accident happened just after midnight when an excursion train en route to Strabane from Londonderry left the rails. The carriages were overturned and as a result one person was killed and twelve were very seriously